

# Ephesians 4:1-6 – Preserving Unity (Part 2)

Walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, **2**with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, **3**being diligent to preserve the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. **4**There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call— **5**one Lord, one faith, one baptism, **6**one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

**I. What does it mean to walk worthy?** “worthy of”

[All 5 uses: 3 John 1:6, 1 Thess. 2:12, Colossians 1:10, Philippians 1:27, Ephesians 4:1]

Our calling

[Ephesians 1:4, 5, 7, 13; 2:7; 3:10]

The unity of the Spirit is both a reality to be ­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and a goal to be

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**II. What does this ‘walking worthily’ and ‘unity of the Spirit’ look like?** What kind of unity are we talking about? What it is, what it isn’t.

At least three things we should have in common:

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2.) Common ­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

3.) Common ­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The Spirit’s role in each

**III. What is the foundation for this unity?**